## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Thomas Holzhauer

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For: REEL DRIVING DEVICE COMPRISING DRIVING ROLLS

PROVIDED WITH A CAST ENVELOPE

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Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT

S I R:

Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of the original shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of July 22, 2011. The amount of \$1,270.00 in payment of the government fee for a three-month extension of time is being paid by credit card.

In response to the Office action dated July 22, 2011, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.